



**Advisory Announcement**  
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**SOUTHEAST ALASKA SALMON PURSE SEINE FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT**

District 1

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Friday, August 20, 2021:**

Section 1-C: will be open south of a line from Fox Point at 55°15.60' N lat, 131°03.88' W long to a point south of Roe Point at 55°14.50' N lat, 131°00.56' W long.

Section 1-F: will be open south and east of a line from California Head at 55°19.58' N lat, 131°29.05' W long to Spire Island Light at 55°16.05' N lat, 131°29.95' W long to the southernmost tip of Gravina Point at 55°17.12' N lat, 131°37.19' W long to a point on the western shore of Gravina Island at 55°20.88' N lat, 131°51.85' W long (located on the westernmost tip of an unnamed island immediately south of Grant Cove) then due west to the District 2 boundary with the following restrictions:

Boca de Quadra: will be closed east of a line from Quadra Point at 55°05.15' N lat, 130°59.10' W long to Kah Shakes Point at 55°04.26' N lat, 130°58.80' W long;

Nichols Passage: will be closed north of the latitude of the southernmost tip of Dall Head at 55°07.74' N lat;

Carroll Inlet: will be closed north of the latitude of California Head at 55°19.58' N lat;

Thorne Arm: will be closed north and east of a line from the southernmost tip of Moth Point at 55°15.92' N lat, 131°19.69' W long to the northernmost tip of Cone Point at 55°14.91' N lat, 131°19.04' W long.

District 2

The following area will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Friday, August 20, 2021:**

District 2: will be open with the following restrictions:

Cleveland Peninsula: will be closed within 1.0 nautical mile (nmi) of the shore south of the latitude of Niblack Point at 55°33.00' N lat;

Cholmondeley Sound: will be closed south of 55°15.00' N lat;

Moir Sound: will be closed west of the longitude of the easternmost entrance of Menefee Anchorage at 132°00.35' W long;

Kasaan Bay, Skowl Arm, Twelve Mile Arm, and contiguous waters: will be closed west of the longitude of Skowl Point Light at 132°16.17' W long;

Thorne Bay: will be closed west of a line from Tolstoi Point at 55°40.22' N lat, 132°23.55' W long to the southernmost tip of Tolstoi Island to the Prince of Wales Island shoreline at 55°42.33' N lat, 132°26.74' W long.

### District 3

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 3-A: will be open south of the latitude of Round Point at 55°07.63' N lat with the following restrictions:

Dall Island Shore: will be closed west of a line from the southernmost tip of Reef Point at 55°03.62' N lat, 132°58.33' W long to Shoe Island Light at 54°57.10' N lat, 132°44.78' W long to the westernmost tip of Datzkoo Point at 54°43.80' N lat, 132°41.83' W long;

Klakas Inlet, Hunter Bay, and contiguous waters: will be closed in all waters north and east of a line from a point near Ruth Cutoff located at 54°54.40' N lat, 132°24.86' W long to the southernmost tip of Klakas Island at 54°53.15' N lat, 132°24.56' W long to a point at 54°49.68' N lat, 132°20.54' W long;

Hassiah Inlet and Mabel Bay: will be closed east of the longitude of 132°35.00' W long and south of the latitude of the northernmost tip of Helen Island at 54°59.43' N lat;

Nutkwa Inlet: will be closed north of the latitude of Nutkwa Point at 55°04.28' N lat;

Kassa Inlet: will be closed east of the longitude of Kassa Point at 132°31.62' W long;

Keete Inlet: will be closed east of the longitude of Nutkwa Point at 132°34.16' W long.

Section 3-B: will be open west of a line from the southernmost tip of Point Desconocida at 55°41.64' N lat, 133°31.74' W long to the northernmost tip of St. Philip Island at 55°39.31' N lat, 133°25.16' W long to the northernmost tip of Blanquizar Point at 55°37.36' N lat, 133°23.86' W long to the southernmost tip of Blanquizar Point at 55°37.10' N lat, 133°23.23' W long to the northernmost tip of Point Santa Rosalia at 55°34.19' N lat, 133°24.81' W long then south to a point on the Prince of Wales Island shoreline at 55°23.07' N lat, 133°12.92' W long (approximately .32 nmi east of Tranquill Point) with the following restrictions:

Portillo Channel: will be closed north of a line from the southernmost tip of Point Amargura at 55°27.00' N lat, 133°21.64' W long to Arrecife Point at 55°27.07' N lat, 133°25.75' W long and south of a line from the northernmost tip of Point Animas at 55°32.06' N lat, 133°27.37' W long to Point Delgada at 55°30.80' N lat, 133°28.76' W long;

Port Asumcion: will be closed north and west of a line from Point Cosinas at 55°21.80' N lat, 133°30.64' W long to a point west of Point Maria at 55°22.04' N lat, 133°30.26' W long;

Ulloa Channel: will be closed south of a line from the northernmost tip of Point Cangrejo at 55°20.81' N lat, 133°21.42' W long to the westernmost tip of Point Providence at 55°21.52' N lat, 133°16.20' W long.

Section 3-C: will be open with the following restrictions:

Holbrook Arm, Van Sant Cove, and contiguous waters: will be closed north and west of a line from Limestone Point Light at 55°56.31' N lat, 133°36.96' W long to the southernmost tip of Holbrook Point at 56°00.30' N lat, 133°28.64' W long;

Token Bay: will be closed east of the southernmost tip of Holbrook Point at 133°28.64' W long.

District 4

The following area will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

District 4: will be open.

District 5

The following area will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

District 5: will be open south of a line from Point Amelius at 56°11.83' N lat, 133°54.35' W long to the westernmost Barrier Island at 56°12.76' N lat, 133°40.72' W long then due east to Prince of Wales Island and north of a line from Cape Decision Light at 56°00.07' N lat, 134°08.17' W long to Cape Pole at 55°57.41' N lat, 133°48.89' W long **with the following restrictions:**

**Shakan Bay: will be closed east of the longitude of Station Island Light at 133°37.55' W long.**

Affleck Canal: will be open to normal markers.

District 6

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

**Section 6-C will be open.**

Section 6-D: **will be open** with the following restrictions:

Mosman, Burnett, and McHenry Inlets: will be closed north of a line from the tip of Point Stanhope at 56°00.69' N lat, 132°36.47' W long, to Kelp Point at 55°57.76' N lat, 132°27.06' W long;

Prince of Wales Island shoreline: will be closed north of 55°57.06' N lat;

Steamer Bay: will be open to normal markers.

District 7

The following area will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 7-B: will be open.

District 9

The following area will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 9-B: will be open with the following restrictions:

Eliza Harbor: will be closed north of 57°12.53' N lat;

Security Bay, Saginaw Bay, and Keku Strait: will be closed south and east of a line from Hourigan Point at 56°51.37' N lat, 134°24.53' W long to Meade Point at 56°53.58' N lat, 134°21.23' W long to Cornwallis Point at 56°56.15' N lat, 134°16.30' W long to Point Macartney at 57°01.49' N lat, 134°03.52' W long;

Bay of Pillars and Rowan Bay: will be closed east of a line from Point Sullivan at 56°40.82' N lat, 134°22.18' W long to Point Ellis at 56°33.20' N lat, 134°19.17' W long;

Tebenkof Bay: will be closed east and south of a line from the southernmost tip of Gap Point at 56°28.65' N lat, 134°08.28' W long, to the northernmost tip of Step Island at 56°27.66' N lat, 134°06.99' W long, to Lisa Point at 56°26.62' N lat, 134°09.06' W long, then due west to a point on the Kuiu Island shoreline at 56°26.62' N lat, 134°10.84' W long;

Gedney Harbor: will be closed east of a line from Swaine Point at 56°25.61' N lat, 134°14.84' W long, to Point Cosmos at 56°21.17' N lat, 134°17.58' W long;

Port Malmesbury: will be closed east of 134°14.80' W long.

### District 12

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 12-A: will be open in the following areas:

Point Augusta: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Chichagof Island shoreline north of the latitude of a regulatory marker at 58°01.63' N lat (located 1.0 nmi south of Point Augusta Light);

Admiralty Island shoreline: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Admiralty Island shoreline south of the latitude of Point Marsden at 58°03.40' N lat, and north of the latitude of Parker Point at 57°36.73' N lat, and south of the latitude of Point Samuel at 57°28.31' N lat, (Hood Bay, Chaik Bay, Whitewater Bay, and Wilson Cove to normal markers).

### District 13

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 13-A will be open in the following areas:

Salisbury Sound: will be open east of the longitude of Kalinin Point at 135°48.07' W long, south of 57°21.57' N lat, and north of 57°18.11' N lat with the following restriction:

Sukoi Inlet: will be closed south of a line from Sukoi Point at 57°19.32' N lat, 135°41.90' W long to Hayward Point at 57°19.32' N lat, 135°41.18' W long.

Portlock Harbor, Ogden Passage, Smooth Channel, Khaz Bay, Lake Anna, Sisters Lake, and Slocum Arm: will be open east of a line from Khaz Point at 57°30.15' N lat, 136°01.33' W long to Ninefoot Shoal Light at 57°34.83' N lat, 136°05.82' W long to the southernmost tip of Herbert Graves Island at 57°38.40' N lat, 136°10.89' W long to the southernmost tip of Point Hogan at 57°41.38' N lat, 136°15.81' W long to the light located on the southernmost tip of Hill Island at 57°43.67' N lat, 136°16.57' W long to a point on the Chichagof Island shoreline at 57°46.13' N lat, 136°16.81' W long with the following restrictions:

Slocum Arm: will be closed south of 57°27.95' W long;

Ford Arm: will be closed northeast of a line from 57°34.74' N lat, 135°57.08' W long, to 57°34.38' N lat, 135°56.48' N lat;

Sisters Lake Head and Rust Creek: will be closed east of 136°00.34' W long;

Klag Bay: will be closed north of the latitude of Rose Point at 57°37.60' N lat;

Black Bay: will be closed east of 136°08.32' W long;

Goulding Harbor: will be closed east of 136°14.77' W long.

Lisianski Inlet and Lisianski Strait: will be open south of a line from the northernmost tip of Soapstone Point at 58°06.33' N lat, 136°29.86' W long to the westernmost tip of Column Point 58°07.21' N lat, 136°26.88' W long, and Lisianski Strait will be open north of 57°50.95' N lat with the following restriction:

Lisianski Inlet: will be closed between 57°54.54' N lat and 57°53.86' N lat, and closed south of 57°52.26' N lat.

Section 13-B: Redoubt Bay, Kanga Bay, and contiguous waters will be open east of 135°22.76' W long.

#### District 14

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **6:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 18, through 9:00 p.m., Thursday, August 19, 2021:**

Section 14-A: will be open in the following areas:

Idaho Inlet: will be open south of a line from a point at 58°12.51' N lat, 136°09.78' W long, to a point at 58°12.46' N lat, 136°16.39' W long, and north of a line from a point at 58°08.29' N lat, 136°10.18' W long, to a point at 58°08.28' N lat, 136°11.92' W long;

Port Althorp: will be open south of a line from Point Lucan at 58°08.92' N lat, 136°22.01' W long, to a point at 58°09.70' N lat, 136°19.68' W long, and north of a line from a point at 58°07.66' N lat, 136°17.69' W long, to a point at 58°07.44' N lat, 136°18.83' W long, with the following restriction:

East Arm: will be closed east of a line from a point at 58°09.13' N lat, 136°17.97' W long, to a point at 58°08.64' N lat, 136°17.98' W long.

Section 14-B: will be open south of the latitude of Crist Point at 58°10.27' N lat;

Section 14-C: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Chichagof Island shoreline.

Chinook Salmon Landing Restrictions: All Chinook salmon harvested in the Deep Inlet Terminal Harvest Area (THA) must be retained and may be sold. For all other fishing areas, Chinook salmon 28 inches or greater in length may NOT be retained and Chinook salmon less than 28 inches may be retained but not sold.

Fishermen, tenders, and processors are reminded that all salmon, including steelhead, commercially harvested but retained for personal use and not sold, must be reported on fish tickets at the time of delivery.

The next seine announcement will be issued on **Friday, August 20, 2021.**

Under Alaska's Health Advisories 1, 2, 3, and 4, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Advisories. COVID-19 Health Advisories may be found here: <https://covid19.alaska.gov/health-advisories/>.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S5121.

<b>Southeast Alaska Purse Seine Harvest Estimates</b> <b>Statistical Midweek 33</b> <b>Preliminary Estimates Compiled August 16, 2021</b>							
<b>NUMBERS OF SALMON</b>							
<b>Area</b>	<b>Chinook</b>	<b>Sockeye</b>	<b>Coho</b>	<b>Pink</b>	<b>Chum</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Boats</b>
District 1*	0	5,800	4,000	760,000	5,000	774,800	28
District 2*	0	4,500	2,600	925,000	14,000	946,100	40
District 3	0	3,800	2,800	680,000	19,000	705,600	38
District 4	0	28,000	3,000	535,000	7,000	573,000	25
District 6	0	3,000	1,000	142,000	3,000	149,000	11
Point Augusta/Whitestone	0	100	700	24,000	50	24,850	3
West Admiralty Shoreline	0	200	1,200	65,000	400	66,800	4
SW Admiralty Shoreline	0	550	900	292,000	7,100	300,550	9
Section 13-A	0	300	700	237,000	8,700	246,700	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46,250</b>	<b>16,900</b>	<b>3,660,000</b>	<b>64,250</b>	<b>3,787,400</b>	<b>205</b>

  

<b>FISH PER BOAT</b>						
<b>Area</b>	<b>Chinook</b>	<b>Sockeye</b>	<b>Coho</b>	<b>Pink</b>	<b>Chum</b>	<b>Total</b>
District 1	0	207	143	27,143	179	27,671
District 2	0	113	65	23,125	350	23,653
District 3	0	100	74	17,895	500	18,568
District 4	0	1,120	120	21,400	280	22,920
District 6	0	273	91	12,909	273	13,545
Point Augusta/Whitestone	0	33	233	8,000	17	8,283
West Admiralty Shoreline	0	50	300	16,250	100	16,700
SW Admiralty Shoreline	0	61	100	32,444	789	33,394
Section 13-A	0	14	32	10,773	395	11,214

\*Districts 1 and 2 reported harvest for 2 days only.  
Districts 5, 7, 9, and Section 13-B: Confidential.  
Idaho Inlet and Port Althorp: no reported harvest.  
Kendrick Bay THA harvest to date: 32,000 chum salmon.  
Deep Inlet THA harvest to date: 2,700 Chinook and 224,000 chum salmon.

Advisory Announcement web site: <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>.

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<i>ADF&amp;G</i>	225-5195	772-3801		747-6688	465-4250	766-2830	784-3255
<i>AWT</i>	225-5111	772-3983	874-3215	747-3254	465-4000	766-2533	784-3220